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A THEME SONG

WE RESPECTFULLY offer this contribution as a suggested theme song for the Social Credit Party after "a man told us that one was wanted to replace the old outworn battle cry:

Dare to be an Abbe
Dare to stand alone
Dare to live at Edmonton
Sitting on a throne
Dare to tumble over
Everyone you can,
Dare to shower rotten eggs
On the economic man
Dare to tell the public
What a sage you've grown,
Dare to prove you're one idea—
"Alberta—all alone."

Dare to damn the "Big Shots"
Every time you see one
Dare to "slate" the Germans,
Dare to "praise" the weak.

Dare to be a Britisher—
Sight for gods and men!
Dare to promise lots of things
From the end of a fountain pen.

Dare to back up Manning
No matter what he do,
Dare to stick together—
The Party made of two.

Dare to be a "Statesman,"
Winning cheapest cheers,
Dare to tread the twisting road
Which leads you to your peers.

HOSPITALS

HOSPITALIZATION for Brooks and the district adjacent thereto is again occupying the minds of citizens of the eastern metropolis as will be seen from an editorial in the Brooks Bulletin published in full in the next column of this issue of the Recorder.
No reasonable person will contend that any given district is not entitled to proper hospital facilities, and if other factors did not enter into the matter, it would be admitted as a matter of course an hospital should be located at Brooks. It has the population of a settled district surrounding it which ought to be able to support such an institution. This statement is based on the assumption that it could extend its activities as far West as Bassano, as otherwise, the statement might not withstand thorough examination.

The only reasonable objection to the establishment of an hospital at Brooks is the existence of an established institution at Bassano, which draws a large part of its revenue from the district near-by Brooks, and to within a few miles of the Town limits of that Town. While the Bassano hospital district is in excellent shape financially, due to a substantial surplus built up in the good old palmy days, for the fact that for a few years at least both would be able to operate because of the present reserve of the existing institution.

The proposal to establish a subsidiary hospital at Brooks as part and parcel of the Bassano Hospital District is, in its essence, nothing different than running two hospital districts, except, of course, for the fact that for a few years at least both would be able to operate because of the present reserve of the existing institution.

It ought to be examined with great care, more especially if it takes in the whole E.I.D., but it ought to be remembered that a small six or eight bed hospital is much more expensive to operate per bed than a large hospital. The answer to the whole problem of hospitalization for the whole of the E.I.D. lies, in our opinion, not in the creation of another hospital, but in obtaining better and more all weather roads connected with patients would be, except under extraordinary circumstances, reasonably sure of reaching hospital without undue delay.

WESTERN CANADA SHOCKED

NOTWITHSTANDING Hon. J. G. Gardiner's heroic effort over the air on Tuesday evening when he spoke from Regina under the auspices of the Saskatchewan Liberal Association, on the Federal Government's proposed agricultural policy, including a discussion on the sixty cent peg on wheat, it is extremely doubtful if his very able effort will succeed in stemming the flood of resentment let loose by pegging wheat so low.

There may be, and there doubtless is, much merit in the Government's attempt, at long last, to establish something that may resemble an agricultural policy as applied to wheat. Mr. Gardiner's plea not to pre-judge the case before all the facts and the complete plan has been thoroughly examined in the House was reasonable enough, but will probably fall on deaf ears, the primary, to the resentment aroused over the low peg. If the general policy had been announced first it would probably have been received favourably enough, and the Government might have escaped without even the necessity of something to peg at all. In this aspect both were poorly timed.

Note and Comment

AT A DOLLAR a throw it will take 10,000 gags by Jack Benny to laugh off that \$10,000 fine. Wonder if he will try to deduct it from his 1939 income tax return?

AMONG THE MANY "serious irregularities" of which the Government has been guilty that \$10,000 loan to a certain limited liability company still unpaid. Maybe Manning ought to be dismissed, or should we say "suspended" by order in council on the recommendation of some McCarthy in the Department of the Attorney General.

IN ALL THIS CANT and hypocritical bunk about neutrality, conscription of men and wealth, expeditionary forces and North America isolate—one wonders what Canadians would expect of Great Britain, and other parts of the Commonwealth, if Canada were attacked by some foreign foe.

ONLY A GENIUS like Mussolini could explain this Albanian adventure by saying that he was there with the very friendliest of motives, to set his neighbours house in order, and when that was done, return home. Zog and his Consort seem to have been of an entirely different impression.

FROM OUR EXCHANGE COLUMNS

"O WAD ROMA POWER THE GIFTIE GIB US
TO SEE OURSELVES AS THERES SEEN US," Burns

TWENTY YEARS AFTER

TWENTY YEARS AGO Hon. C. A. Dunning was minister of agriculture for the province of Saskatchewan. Then as now, the wheat price was a problem of some magnitude, following the war years when production had been so greatly increased. The farmers wanted a fixed and guaranteed price, very much as they do now. Mr. Dunning issued a public statement at that time explaining the situation. "In the House of Commons on Wednesday last he pointed out that with regard to finance, the problems of one generation repeat themselves in the next. All through history," he said, "we have had the Jeremiah tale, each succeeding generation the end was coming there was no hope, the load was too heavy and so forth. Yet each succeeding generation has evolved methods of carrying that load or of adjusting it."—Regina Star.

WHEAT PRICE TOO LOW

THE MOST depressing blow received by Western Canada this week was the announced wheat "peg" by the Ottawa government at 60 cents a bushel. Powerful interests in the East have apparently overwhelmed all the arguments presented by the Bracken committee, and the Western wheat growers as a whole. It just goes to show that agriculture is not yet organized to contend with its opposing forces. Western Canada might continue to exist on 60-cent wheat but it can't pay debts nor buy the goods and services that keep many of the Eastern manufacturing centres busy.—Clareholm Local Press.

LET'S NOT EXPORT THEM

HUNTERS AND SPORTSMEN of Alberta, particularly those from the southern sections of the province, are strongly protesting against the trapping and exportation of Hungarian partridges to the United States. These birds would be exported under special license of the provincial game branch of the Alberta government, and resolutions have been forwarded to the Edmonton authorities requesting that no license for this exportation be granted. The importing of Hungarian partridges into this country was financed by individual subscription of members of the game association. Generally speaking, the birds have been a very successful importation, but recent inclement weather during the winter and nesting season has been exceedingly hard on the bird population, especially in the south. Consequently, the number of "Huns" has greatly diminished.—Lacombe Globe.

THE NEW PSYCHOLOGY

THE FREEDOM and privileges enjoyed under democratic government are regarded too lightly in this age. Our forefathers battled for this freedom, but in latter years this fact appears to be ignored by the masses, who through the wiles of self-seeking politicians scheming for self-aggrandizement, have been led to believe that the government of the country owes them a living. The result is that we have many who, not endowed in the first place with much moral and spiritual fortitude, are quite ready to regard themselves with self-pity, and to really believe that the world owes them a living.—Coleman Journal

ACT NOT WELL NAMED

FOUR YEARS cluttering up the statute books of the province with freak "Social Credit" legislation and only one "Social Credit" act remains on the statute books all the others having been disallowed and thrown into the wastepaper basket. What a waste of time and money. Oddly enough, the one act which remains on the statute books is the "Social Credit" Realization Act, under which the "So Credit" Board operates and many draw nice fat salaries. Just why it is called the "Social Credit" Realization Act is beyond our ken, as Social Credit will never be realized on this side of eternity, while it certainly would never get by in the next world.—Drumheller Review.

THE HOSPITAL QUESTION

THE MATTER OF adequate hospitalization for the large territory surrounding Brooks has long been a problem of great deal of importance to organizations in this district, and to one to which a proper solution seems difficult. It has been brought to public attention once again, recently, this time by the Brooks Elks Lodge.

Their greatest plan is to apply to the Board of trustees of the Bassano Hospital District for permission to conduct a subsidiary of six to eight beds here and to maintain it as a unit of the Bassano municipal district. By so operating, facilities could be provided for emergency cases without the necessity of providing expensive surgical equipment necessary to a large institution.

It has been suggested that the cost of the branch hospital could be borne by taxation, just as in municipal hospitals. However, that is a question which may be made known it and when permission is given to go ahead with the subsidiary.

The most recent scheme sounds quite sensible, especially since it advocates a small beginning with possibilities for enlargement when the need arises. Where a large hospital might find difficulty in financing at the start, the small institution should not be too costly and would be adequate for present needs.—Brooks Bulletin.

THE VALUE OF TREES

EVERYONE IS REFRESHED by the sight of trees round a home. Whatever may be lacking in other respects, no matter how limited resources may be, it is always possible to create an attractive home-like setting with trees. Aside from their utilitarian purpose, they are satisfying the eye, and convey an impression of permanence. Although much has been done in recent years to encourage this type of landscape beauty, there are still many prairie homes, which are without the comfortable companionship of the rustling leaves of summer, or the rounded green of the spruce and pine. Windbreakers are recognized as an important safeguard for windwept lands and garden-circling home, barns and garden lands. Three or four rows of such trees furnish valuable protection and enhance appearance. The heaviest shelter is required on the west and north, to break the strong winds from these directions.—High River Times.

Mr. Jimmy Hamilton is a Calgary visitor today.

Mrs. G. Marston was a visitor to Edmonton the first of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Snyder of Wayne, Wis., Bassano visitors on Wednesday of this week.

Mr. Ralph Aronson, principal of the Rosemary school, is spending his holidays at his home north of Bassano.

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TOWN OF BASSANO

Public Notice TO PARENTS AND OTHERS

By-Law No. 75 of the Town of Bassano provides that no person shall ride any bicycle on the sidewalks of the town, and numerous complaints having been received, the council intends to strictly enforce the provisions of this By-Law.

The Co-operation of parents is desirable, as in the event of any fine being imposed by a magistrate on any minor, same would have to be paid by the parent or guardian.

The above mentioned By-Law also provides "that no stones, balls, or other missiles are to be thrown or projected on any of the streets or alleys in the town," hence slingshots are prohibited and as serious damage has been done in the breakage of street lamps and window glass, this section of the By-Law will also be enforced.

By Order of the Town Council,
Jas H. Donaldson, Town Clerk

TOWN OF BASSANO

CLEAN UP DAY

Citizens are hereby notified to clean up their premises on Wednesday, Apr. 26th, 1939, in inspection by the Town Overseer.

By Order of the Council,
Jas. H. Donaldson,
Secretary Treasurer.

BORN AT BASSANO HOSPITAL

To Mr. and Mrs. Leon Johnson, Rosemary, a son on April 8th, 1939.

To Mr. and Mrs. Wm. George, Gem, a son on April 8th, 1939.

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Interesting Items

You are invited to contribute to this column. "Phone your news items to St. J. Recorder Office"

Mrs. A. P. Thompson spent the week-end at Sylvan Lake.

Mr. Wm. McLaws was a business visitor in Calgary the first part of the week.

Miss Beatrice Oulton spent the week-end at her home in Calgary.

Miss Grace Scher, teacher at Taber is spending a few days renewing acquaintances in Bassano.

Miss Lydia Zelinski of Calgary spent the week-end at her home in Bassano.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Flanagan of Grande Prairie were Bassano visitors over the week-end.

Miss Doreen Strand is spending the holidays at her home in the Haskar District.

Fred Thompson was a visitor at the home of his parents over the week-end.

Mrs. Martin, formerly Miss Ida Ingeborg of Calgary, visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Ingeborg over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Simpson and family of Brooks were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Simpson over the week-end.

Graham Cathro, who is attending school at Hanna, is spending the Easter Holidays at the home of his parents in Bassano.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Whitehorn of Mundare are spending the holidays at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Milroy.

Miss Genovia Wojcieszko who is attending school in Bassano, is spending the holidays at her home in Orléans.

Mrs. J. Bulmer of Hanna is renewing acquaintances in Bassano and visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Cathro.

Mrs. Florence Playfair, teacher at Medicine Hat, is spending the holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Playfair.

Miss Molly Berry, teacher at Rosemary, is spending the holidays at the home of her parents at the Bassano Dam.

Miss Wilma Clifton, Miss Phyllis Brocklebank, Messrs. Chester Brocklebank, Gerald Clark and Milton Hamory of Calgary spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Brocklebank.

Mr. Ted Stiles spent the week-end visiting with friends in Strathmore.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Cathro of Calgary spent the Easter holidays visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Cathro of Bassano.

Mr. Hugh Berry, employee of the Royal Bank at Standard, spent the week-end visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Schol at the Dam.

Mr. Arthur Wiley was a Calgary visitor over the week-end, where he attended the wedding of his sister.

Misses Joan Riley and Nellie McBride are spending the holidays in Calgary.

Mr. J. A. Jopson, C.P.R. Telegraph Inspector of Calgary, was in Bassano over the week-end, making transfer between Hinton, A. E. Willet, who several years has been stationed in Bassano, and Mr. Earl Parke, Mr. Willet will be stationed at Empress in the future.

Mrs. W. J. Redmond and son Douglas are spending the holidays visiting with friends in Calgary.

Mr. Collis Douglas of Brooks was a Bassano visitor on Sunday.

Mr. Dante Ubertino, teacher at Oshesay, was a Bassano visitor on Monday evening.

Mrs. Richard Main, who is visiting for a short time at Merit, B. C. received the sad news on Tuesday afternoon of the sudden death of her sister, Mrs. Geo. Blenhouse, of Drumheller. Mr. Main motored to Drumheller on Wednesday afternoon to week to attend the funeral.

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27c

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